Department of Finance

STATE OF CALIFORNIA MANUAL OF STATE FUNDS

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Legal Title

State Fair Contingent Fund

Legal Citation/ Authority

Chapter 829, Statutes of 1974

Food and Agriculture Code, Section 3355

Fund Classification	Fund Classification
GAAP Basis	Legal Basis

Fiduciary/Trust and Agency-Other

Nongovernmental/Trust and Agency Funds--

Purpose

For the deposit of all moneys from gifts or bequests, municipal and county appropriations, or donations for the administration, operation, management or improvement of the California Exposition and State Fair or fair site. Donors specify how the money may be spent.

Non-Federal

Chapter 1148/80 created the California Exposition and State Fair as a separate independent entity in state government. Chapter 1148/80 made no changes to the State Fair Contingent Fund and it will operate as it did under the administration of the Department of Parks and Recreation.

Administering Agency/Organization Code

California Exposition and State Fair/Org 8560

Major Revenue Source

- Gifts, bequests and donations.
- County and municipal appropriations.

Disposition of Fund (upon abolishment)

Expenditures for the administration, operation, management, or improvement of the California Exposition and State Fair.

Appropriation Authority

Section 3355 of the Food and Agriculture Code provides that all moneys in the fund "are hereby appropriated to the department without regard to fiscal years, to be expended in accordance with the purpose for which the moneys were received.

State Appropriations Limit

Always Excluded – Revenues in this fund are not proceeds of taxes and even after transfer, will never become proceeds of taxes because the major revenue source is derived from a Trust and Agency Fund (Non-Federal).

Comments/ Historical Information

Chapter 1148, Statutes of 1980, repealed Section 3355 of the Food and Agriculture Code relating to the State Fair Contingent Fund. Therefore, this fund is abolished effective January 1, 1985.